

Proclamation

WHEREAS, historic preservation is an effective tool for managing growth and development, revitalizing neighborhoods, fostering local pride and maintaining community character while enhancing livability; and

WHEREAS, historic preservation is relevant for communities across the nation, both urban and rural, and for Americans of all ages, all walks of life and all ethnic backgrounds; and

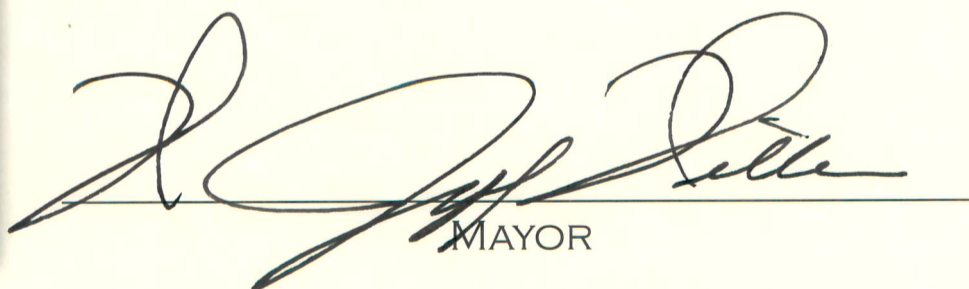
WHEREAS, it is important to celebrate the role of history in our lives and the contributions made by dedicated individuals in helping to preserve the tangible aspects of the heritage that has shaped us as a people; and

WHEREAS, "This Place Matters" is the theme for National Preservation Month 2016, co-sponsored by the Arlington Landmark Preservation Commission and the National Trust for Historic Preservation.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, W. Jeff Williams, Mayor of the City of Arlington, Texas, and on behalf of the Arlington City Council, do hereby proclaim May 2016 as

NATIONAL PRESERVATION MONTH

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City to be affixed this 10th day of May in the year of Our Lord two thousand and sixteen.


MAYOR

